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Council of M.D. Mountain View Holds Regular Meeting

ELKTON NEWS NOTES

The Elkton Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. J. Baughan on Wednesday last and it was decided to hold a meeting with the Council of M.D. M.A. Hong on Wednesday, November 29th to make the final arrangements about the sale of work to be held in the Elkton School on Friday, Dec. 1st or 8th. It was decided not to charge any admission, but to charge for the lunch, which will consist of sandwiches, pie and coffee. Any donations toward the cost of the meal will be appreciated, as the proceeds will be used to pack parcels for local boys overseas. This group sent one complete girl's outfit to the Greek Relief last month. Sewing was turned in, and also knitting, and more work was given out.

Mr. and Mrs. Papke, Inez and Edie were all Calgary visitors this past week.

Mr. Parath, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Parke, left to visit with his grand daughters, Mrs. Ruth Gledhill and Mrs. J. Stevenson of Westport.

The teacher and pupils of the Elkton school are holding a concert in the school on Friday, November 17th. The proceeds will go towards the Christmas concert.

RATEPAYERS ASKED TO SIGN PETITION FOR LOWER RATES

So far, the request of the Town Secretary, W.A. Austin, to have all rates reduced by 10% has not been granted, but Didsbury came to his office and the petition has not met with very little response. Mr. Austin has advised The Pioneer that this petition will not be circulated individually and that the final date for signing will be Saturday, November 25th. If you want a lower light and power bill to pay each month, be sure that you sign the petition immediately.

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DIDSURY CALF CLUB MEETS AT HOME OF JIM HUGHES

The first meeting of the Didsbury West Beef Club was held at the home of Jim Hughes, Mr. McFall acted as chairman and gave a short summing up of the work. Mr. Robertson was elected as president, Margaret Klinkk as secretary, and Elmer Lafe as vice president. Prize money was distributed among the members.

Lunch was served and an enjoyable evening was had by all.

There were 31 people present at the meeting, and the number of Club members now stands at 16.

The next meeting will be held at Mr. Robertson's house at 1:30 o'clock on December 27th. Judging will be done.

DISPLAY PICTURES OF SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

Most people have agreed that the display of pictures of Didsbury's service men and women was an outstanding success. We have had lots of favorable comment.

The pictures of service persons especially commented on. The folks who loaned the treasured pictures—Messrs. Johnson and McClay and Mrs. Russell for loaning their window spaces, Mrs. J. McPhay, Miss Irene Fischer and Mr. E. Wattley for valuable assistance.

The Calgary Tanks, who sponsored the display, wish to thank all these people. We realize by seeing these pictures that Didsbury may well be the home of its men and women in the service.

The pictures will be taken down this week. They will be wrapped carefully. We would like you to do the same for them at Johnson and Wattley's and pick them up. Once again, Thank You, Everyone.

Miss Vim Wilson, who has been seriously ill in the Vimy Cross Hospital, and who has been in a coma for a few days, is now recovering in the Vimy hospital.

MELVIN NOTES

On November 10 a crowd of Melvin and Springside friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes and Mrs. Lou Holmes and for the who were having a luncheon for the Vimy Cross.

The evening was spent in dancing. At supper time the hosts of honour were presented with a satin, wool-filled confederate from their Melvin friends. The Springside district and Sunday School presented a wooden bed the width of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes' a cup and saucer, a small case for the girls, and a billfold to Jannie.

We wish to extend thanks to all those who helped with the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes have lived in this neighborhood a good many years and will be greatly missed, but we wish them every success in their new home.

Don't forget the whist drive held by the Melvin Red Cross group in the Melvin school on November 26th.

Mrs. D. Landen and wife dangled long home Friday after spending a week with her sister in Calgary.

On November 3rd many friends of the Sanderlins gathered at their home to bid them farewell, and to wish them luck in their new home out west. The guests enjoyed an evening of games and cards, after which a delicious meal was served. At the close of the evening Mr. and Mrs. Sanderlin were presented with a bed lamp and a table reading lamp, a remembrance of all the pleasant times spent together here.

The pupils of the Melvin school enjoyed a Hallowe'en party in the afternoon in their school and collected ten dollars for the "Milk For Britain" Fund.

Here's news you've all been waiting for! There will be a dance in the Melvin Hall on Friday, November 21. Music will be supplied by Tom Smith and his Mandarins from Calgary.

On Tuesday evening last week a party of young people gathered at Wallen's in honour of Vera Sanderlin, who will soon be leaving out west. Good luck and happy hunting, Vera!

LONE PINE NOTES

The November meeting of the Lone Pine Unit was held at Mrs. Howard's home with Mrs. J. McCullich as joint hostess; 16 members answered the roll with a split block.

A banana program and dance was planned for November 21st at the hall. A lottery for the Greek Relief is being made for the December meeting.

Mrs. Pendleton, our Health Unit nurse, gave us a very instructing and timely address. Her exercises enjoyed. Our community convenor, Mrs. Fogg, was also present and spoke on W.V. work, giving us much helpful information and a cheery message.

The pie drive was won by Miss J. McNeely.

The annual meeting will be held at the hall on Thursday, December 5.

The hall board is planning a New Year's dance, to be held December 29.

On Friday, November 21, is the banner program and dance sponsored by the W.L. A fish pond and game table will be included. French will be served at a plate, Come and enjoy yourself.

Miss Pam Jenkins spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Jenkins in Calgary.

DIDSURY JOTTINGS

By A.C.H.

It is surprising. And heartening. The courage of women. We mean the women whose sons have fallen in battle.

With fortitude and ankles, they take up again the burdens of living. It takes courage. But besides being courageous, it's wise. For facing up to life holds its own comfort. That's what she did, mom. Faced up to life. And that's what you want to do. After all, he's only a little way ahead on the trail. And waiting. He's watching. And he's proud of you, mom.

We'll be seeing you all at the Red Cross Tea on Saturday, November 18. Bring your friends and let's all get together at Red Cross get together. And you know you are in for a good time, the kind of doings those girls put on. They work hard. And they love it. Two hours. So be there to cheer them on.

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The Canadian North

DURING THE COURSE OF CANADA'S GROWTH from a group of small settlements on the banks of the St. Lawrence River to a mighty nation stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific Oceans, many frontiers have been pushed back and many vast stretches of land have been opened up. Not until the Western provinces were settled, was there opportunity for those who were looking for new land and new experiences. When no more unknown territory lay in the direction, the only remaining frontier were to the North. There has been development in the Canadian North ever since the days of the early fur traders, but it is only recently that public interest has been fully aroused to the great potentialities of this region, which comprises two-fifths of the total area of the Dominion.

War Awakened New Interest

The Northwest Territories, the Yukon, the Hudson's Bay district and New Quebec, formerly called Ungava, make up the territory known as the Canadian North. It covers about 1,500,000 square miles and has a population of 17,000, 5,000 of whom live in the Yukon. The outbreak of war with Japan, and the consequent threat to this continent through the Aleutian Islands, brought about the building of the Alaskan Highway and the Canal project, and through these undertakings much has been learned about the climate and potential wealth of the North. The Royal Bank of Canada recently published an interesting article dealing with this subject. It draws attention to the fact that the climate, generally considered a barrier to extensive development there, has been proven in recent years to be no serious obstacle, and that in Russia many large communities, including the city of Leningrad, lie in latitudes which we regard as the far North.

Much Activity Is Expected

It is expected that there will be great activity in the Canadian North in the years following the war. Present sources of metals are being rapidly depleted and plans are already under way for developing the rich mineral deposits in this region. The Canal project has demonstrated the abundance of oil in that locality and there is also the prospect of securing large supplies of oil from the Athabasca tar sand deposits. Recently considerable interest has been shown in the possibility of certain sections of the North being suitable for agriculture. There are some 11,000 farmers in the Peace River country and they cultivate over 1,000,000 acres of land. It has been demonstrated that wheat and other grain crops, as well as some small fruits, including cranberries, can be grown with success in many northern districts even at points within the Arctic Circle. Authorities feel that at present it is unwise to encourage large scale agricultural development in this area, due to inaccessibility to markets and similar disadvantages, but there is little doubt but that in the years to come Canada will have a great new mining and agricultural industry in these northern regions.

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Good News!

FOR FOLKS WITH SNIFLY
Head Colds

Quick relief from the sneezy, stuffy distress of head colds is what you want. So try Va-tro-nol—a few drops up each nostril—to soothe irritation, reduce congestion. You'll welcome the relief the instant Va-tro-nol also helps prevent many colds from developing if used in time. Try it! Follow directions in folder.

VICKS VA-TRO-NOL

STATE QUARRIES BUSY

Flying bombs which tore the roots off thousands of houses in London and other parts of Southern England have brought renewed prosperity to the slate quarries of North Wales. Quarries are working full time providing slates for repairs.

The fixed remuneration attached to the honor of being England's post laureate is about \$515 a year.

FIRST AND LAST

More than 32 years ago Postman Walter Ritz delivered a letter to John Jarin of Galt, Ont., and when he made his last trip before retirement the last letter in his bag was addressed to Mr. John Jarin. He estimates he's delivered 4,000,000 letters on his rounds.

In the Roman language, Bucharest means city of delight.

Price Control And Rationing Information

Q—I did not obtain ration book number five during the distribution week October 14 to 21. What shall I do?

A—Any time after November 6 you can get your new book. Fill out the "K" coupon sheet in ration book 4, giving your name and address on one side and book number on the other side of the "K" coupon. Do not remove this sheet but take your book to any branch office of the ration administration and you will receive a new ration book. If there is no branch office in your district, take your number four book to the local ration board.

Q—I am planning on selling my grocery store and would like to know if it is necessary to make a report of my rationed commodities to the nearest ration office prior to the sale.

A—If you are planning to sell your business you should contact your nearest ration office prior to the sale, advising the officer in charge quantity of rationed goods and commodity name and the number of coupons in the bank. In some cases where stores have changed hands there has been considerable delay in making the required reports on rationed goods. —

Q—Is canned grapefruit now placed on the ration list?

A—Yes, canned grapefruit in glass containers returning after the 1st of rationed commodities on October 15. Its ration value is one valid coupon for 200 ounces. Grapefruit juice has not been rationed at any time.

Q—I have now used my ten "F" canning sugar coupons in ration book three. Is it necessary to keep this ration book along with book four and my new book five?

A—The only valid coupons in ration book three are the "F" canning sugar coupons, numbered one to ten, and if you have used these coupons, you may use them for this number three book. —

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book (the book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices) mentioning name and address of post office to the nearest wartime Price and Trade Board office in your province.

Save Coal

High Humidity Gives Comfort In The Winter Time

"It's not the heat, it's the humidity" is a common saying in summer weather. According to heating authorities, the saying is true in winter too, but in a different sense.

They say that by maintaining high humidity in the house, householders will be more comfortable even though temperatures are lower. The important angle is that coal will be saved. Potted plants also make good humidifiers, if they are kept well watered. Their porous pots literally ooze moisture.

Homes that are heated by stoves need no humidifying problems this winter. A kettle of water steaming on the back of the stove will do the trick.

A pan of water underneath the radiator, is a good substitute for regular humidifying pots that fit on the back of the radiator.

Relaxing The Rules

More Gaiety In Britain Is Promised For This Winter

Another step towards a brighter war-time Britain is promised this winter.

Dances, which for the past five years have had to end before midnight, will probably continue into the early hours—with the approval of the majority of the police chiefs and licensing magistrates.

Police chiefs welcome the opportunity of allowing a little more gaiety to come back into the lives of lots of people for whom dancing was the principal peace-time pleasure.

The first move was made by Dartford (Lancashire) magistrates, who granted an extension for a works dance until 2 a.m.

This is the first time in the war that the young people of this cotton town, with a population of 37,000, have been able to go on dancing after midnight. London Daily Mail

It has been estimated that the millions of the world have increased 600 per cent. since 1923.

Buy Victory Bonds "SALADA" TEA

Hating Everybody

That Is The Position That Germany Is In Today

The Germans are today in that unique position of hating everybody except themselves, and perhaps Japan—although I do not think that there is any real love lost between these two partners in crime.

At the same time the Germans are in the unique situation that their present regime and all it implies is hated by everybody—even if some of us who are more civilized are not such good haters as the brown-shirted valhallaists.

By the way, in my estimation, perhaps the most deadly sin Hitler committed was radiating and causing more hating than any man in history—if not in the world, surely in Europe.—Jan Masaryk, in the London Chronicle.

Budget Outfit



SMILE AWHILE

By ANNE ADAMS

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Twenty yards (20¢) in cotton stamping can be accepted for this pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Department, 2000 Broadway, when 175 McDermott Ave., Elgin, Ill., Wm. peg. Man. "Because of the slowness of the mails delivery of our patterns may take a few days longer than usual."

SOMETHING HE MISSED

Although he has travelled about 6,000,000 miles in the last 33 years, William Fisher, Omaha, Neb., locomotive engineer recently had his first glimpse of the ocean. "I've travelled enough to have gone around the world scores of times but this is the first I've ever set eyes on salt water," he said.

Louis XIV is said to have originated the minuet.

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DECLINE OF FRANCE

Perkins, the French journalist, believes that the main cause of France's decline is not that it has been ruled by second-rate statesmen ever since the days of Clemenceau and Poincaré. Undoubtedly the times call for strong and capable leadership in France. Maybe de Gaulle, military man though he is, will be the one to give it. —Brickville Recorder & Times.

How The Measures Of Control That Were Put Into Operation Effected The British Farmer

HOW government control of agriculture in Britain has been operated during the war and some of the effects the measures of control have had on farmers and farming were outlined at a recent meeting in Ottawa of the Eastern Ontario branch of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturalists, by Anthony Hurd, a farmer in Wiltshire, England. He is also the liaison officer and Assistant Agricultural Adviser for the British Ministry of Agriculture in the Southwestern Counties of England.

Mr. Hurd said that thoughtful men in Britain regarded agriculture as great an asset to the nation as a strong navy. The weakness on the British food front before the war may have been an invitation to Germany to wage war against the Nation. When the war started Britain was producing only about 40 per cent. of her food supply, now it is producing 70 per cent.

Since the war the toly of having too many people on low diet has been learned and there is hope that the post-war agricultural policy will be more concerned about better diet, higher nutrition, in carrying out the recommendations of the Hot Springs Conference on Food and Agriculture, rather than in terms of making money. More has been learned of value to British agriculture in the five years of war than was learned in 50 years of peace.

The speaker said that though Britain is now producing 30 per cent. more food than before the war it is food for a wartime diet, mainly wheat, potatoes and other vegetables and altogether it is a very dull diet. Farming is controlled through County War Agricultural Committees, really agents of the British Ministry of Agriculture. The members of the Committees are five farmers, one representative of labour unions and one woman representing the Women's Land Army, which numbers about 70,000. Each County is given a production allocation and the committee sees that it is met. A farmer may be told to clear land and crop it, drain a field, or plant an increased acreage to a particular crop. He is served if necessary with legal directions under the Wartime regulations. Government grants may be paid for clearing land or draining it. A farmer may be directed to do anything considered reasonable. Inefficient farmers are removed from their farms and competent men take their places. Under the wartime regulations there is no favouritism. Feeds, fertilizers and labour are controlled. There has been a substantial shortage of protein feeds since the war. Britain imported about 8,000,000 tons of feed in the pre-war years, now the feed imports are only about one-sixth of that amount. Protein feeds are rationed and dairy farmers get first priority. Every effort has been made to keep milk production up and milk consumption in Britain has increased since the start of the war by 37 per cent. Women and children get first consideration in the available milk supply.

The Ministry of Agriculture during the war years has developed its advisory services to farmers by employing the best available scientists and technical men. Before the war only about one British farmer in eight got in touch with the advisory services. Now about seven out of eight do so for advice and guidance. This has resulted in the farmers learning the use of modern farming and in methods that result in higher efficiency. The result of this has put new life and vigour into British agriculture.

Mr. Hurd said that it may be that much of the measure of wartime control of agriculture may be lifted by 1946. Should this come about, there will be a switch from wheat to oats and mixed grains. During the war livestock production has naturally suffered and when peace comes there will be an effort to regain the former place it held.

EASILY BELIEVED

A German prisoner of the American Third Army told his captors the other day that he still had faith in one of Adolf Hitler's solemn vows to the German people. The prisoner recalled the Fuehrer's promise: "If I could have control of Germany for 10 years you wouldn't be able to recognize it."

Valuable Equipment

Anti-Gas Device Is Vital Part Of Every Soldier's Pack

Every Canadian soldier overseas goes into battle with a piece of equipment that may one day save his life. It is a small canister filled with charred coconut shell; the most important part of his anti-gas equipment.

In a chemical plant in Quebec few of the two thousand people turn out annually several hundred thousand pounds of activated carbon.

The coconut shells are gathered in the West Indies, and they arrive in the Dominion in a rough, charred form. First they are refined and then put through an activating furnace. Mixed with other chemicals they are then ready for use in the canisters of respirators.

The coconut shells have a high absorbent quality that filters out poisonous gases enabling a soldier to breath fresh, clean air even though he is fighting in the middle of an enemy gas attack. Although the Germans haven't used gas so far in this war, the army isn't taking any chances.

The Canadian production of the activated carbon is five times greater than that of the United States before the war. And although it was not made in the Dominion before 1939, activated carbon has a possible post-war use in air-conditioning units for offices.

FINDS DEFECTS

Announcement of the perfection of a two-million-watt mobile X-ray machine which will take pictures through a solid foot of steel was made at Chicago by Dr. Ernest E. Charlton of the General Electric Co. This doubles the voltage available to war time industry for examining metal sections to find defects.

Town Planning

More Attention Should Be Paid To This Question

Town planning is a subject that affects consciously every dweller in a built up area. It is therefore a subject about which the ordinary individual should have some general knowledge, at least. The more detailed one knows about the more it will inevitably be referred to in better towns and cities and a better standard of living for the citizen.

A van amount of rebuilding will go forward in the post-war years. It should proceed in accordance with the recognized principles of modern planning. Therefore when such a course is offered at Carleton College on Town and Regional Planning and Housing, by an authority on the subject, it is an opportunity that many responsible citizens will take to become better informed.

Largely Canada has grown without any great planning or, where there has been a plan, it has not been in accordance with what is now considered to be the best and most enlightened practice. Ontario has now set up a department of planning and development; the Dominion government has encouraged the municipalities to let the citizens generally to take up the consideration of proper town planning.

It is up to the citizens who really want their communities to be better places to live in to devote some study to the problems involved and their possible solution. To leave it all to the aldermen and controllers and civic officials is not enough—Ottawa Citizen.

American Soprano

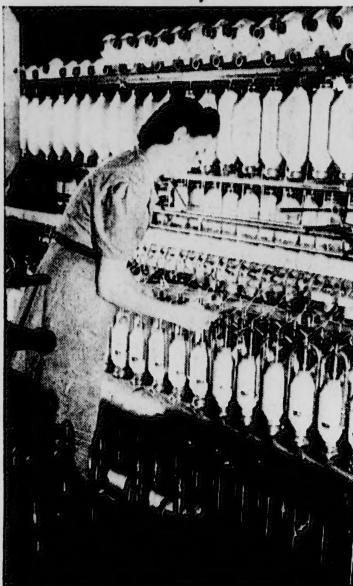
Grace Moore Added French Patriots During German Occupation

The villa belonging to Grace Moore, famous American soprano of the opera and cinema, was a refuge for scores of French patriots during the more than four years of German occupation.

Miss Moore's Villa Casa Laureta at Moujina, near Cannes, was converted by Julien, her chauffeur and gardener, into a relay station for Maquis fleeing from the Gestapo. The French Partisan leader, Jean Marie of Cannes, said Julien had hidden, fed and clothed more than 50 such patriots.

Julien said to a correspondent: "Tell Miss Moore that Casa Laureta has been used in the service of France."

The Steady Hum



The hum of "roving frames" in cotton mills across the Dominion is a funeral hymn for Hitler and his Nazi crew. Aircraft fabrics, tire fabrics, camouflage material, anti-gas cloth, uniforms, web equipment, tarpaulins, powder bags, ground sheets, bandages, tent ducts and scores of other war essentials are being turned out by the millions of yards. These equip not only Canadian armed forces, but also the fighting men of Australia, Africa, Britain, India and New Zealand.

The Interesting Story Of How Canada Became The Birthplace Of The Trans-Atlantic Wireless

THE energies of the late Sir William Mulock touched the life of Canada and the Empire at many points for a long period. Naturally one brief reference to his passing could not cite even a few of his notable acts. One of these was his official encouragement while Postmaster General, of wireless telegraphy, and its immortal inventor, Guglielmo Marconi. Though little known to the public it was a service that Marconi never forgot and while he lived his messages of goodwill to Sir William were frequent.

In the first decade of this century the future of the world was entirely changed by revolutions in communications effected by a handful of men. Marconi, the Wright brothers, and Diesel, inventor of the internal combustion engine, for instance. The greatest miracle worker of all was Marconi, who, sitting at his breakfast table and listening to what has happened overnight on the Western front, owes this boon to him and the army of technicians who followed his lead. There was a time, less than fifty years ago, when Marconi, half-Italian and half-Irish, was a poor young genius, regarded as a dreamer and possibly an impostor. It was then that the interest of Canada's Postmaster General stood him in good stead. In Italy his ideas had received no encouragement whatever, but he fared better with the British authorities and ultimately proved his theories by the establishment in 1899 of wireless communications between England and France.

That wireless could be operative across the vast Atlantic had yet to be demonstrated. In 1901 Marconi was in Newfoundland and received recognizable signals from Poldhu, Cornwall, 2,100 miles away. The story was doubted and Marconi was at his wits end to obtain funds and recognition. It so happened that Alexander Johnston, M.P., editor of a Sydney, N.S., newspaper, and later Deputy Minister of Marine, read of Marconi's experiments in a Newfoundland newspaper, and was convinced that Marconi should be invited to use Cape Breton as a base of experiments. He communicated with Ottawa, but only one of the ministers was interested—Sir William Mulock, Postmaster General.

The latter, with whom communications was a hobby, seized on the project eagerly. Though he had no parliamentary authority to expend money in that way, he managed to stake Marconi with funds to conduct experiments on a larger scale, from the top of Cape Breton, where he was a success. Thus Canada became the birthplace of Trans-Atlantic wireless. Reference books record that such communications were first formally inaugurated in a message from the Governor General of Canada (arranged by Sir William) to King Edward VII, transmitted by Marconi himself, in 1901. Had it not been for the hospitality of the Mulock mind to new ideas that honor would never have come to Canada. It paved the way to fortune and immortal fame for the poor young inventor, and nobody realized that so much as Marconi himself. Toronto Saturday Night.

Memorials Intact

War Cemeteries In France And Belgium Well Cared For

The Imperial war graves commission announced at a meeting in London that reports received indicate cemeteries and memorials of the First Great War in France and Belgium generally are in good order and have been "reverently" cared for by French and Belgian authorities during the enemy occupation.

The meeting was told that an advance party of the commission's officers had proceeded to France and Belgium with a view to resumption of the commission's work at the earliest possible moment.

DEPENDENT ON INDIA

For the first two and a half years of the war, India was almost wholly responsible for supplying the bulk of the war materials needed for the strategically vital Middle East.

Onions and pineapples are more fluid than milk, which also has more solid matter than carrots, beets, turnips and radishes.

Snoozie The Kitten



by Alice Brooks

Snoozie the Kitten is no trouble at all she loves to sleep. All the time and grown-ups, too, love this sleeping toy. Make her for the bazaar, she'll shell a charm! Pattern 7261 contains a transfer pattern and instructions.

To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Department, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or 75 McDonald Avenue, E., Winnipeg, Manitoba. Be sure to write plainly your Name, Address and Pattern Number. "Because of the cost of mailing the pattern, we cannot make it take a few days longer than usual."

Could Not Qualify

Hitler Was Never A Corporal In The Old German Army

The following letter appeared in the New York Times:

Hilter is often referred to as a "corporal of the First Great War." Even Mr. Churchill speaks constantly of him as a corporal, thus conferring upon him a rank to which not even he has ever had a claim.

As a matter of fact, in the old Imperial German Army Hitler's military talents were not considered sufficient to justify his promotion to non-commissioned rank. His only promotion came when he was made a "Gefreiter," which is the equivalent of a private first class. "Gefreiter" is, in the German military hierarchy, a link between the simple "Mann" (private) and the "Unteroffizier" (non-commissioned rank of degree of non-commissioned rank).

Therefore, until Hitler promoted himself to be Commander in Chief of all the German armed forces, the highest military rank that he ever had attained was that of a private first class. The misunderstanding might have arisen because in Rudolf Olden's Hitler biography, in which his failure to reach a higher rank than that of "Gefreiter" is discussed at length (Chapter IV, page 63), this word is falsely translated into "corporal".

Open Schools

To Open High School In France And England For U.S. Soldiers

The U.S. army is going to open service high schools and universities in France and England when the war in Europe ends so that soldiers may resume their education as soon as possible. Courses are being arranged in conjunction with the University of Paris and thousands on completion of Army studies will be eligible to attend the Sorbonne.

Britain's huge 16 inch naval guns cost \$225,000 each.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Major G. R. Benoit of the Wartime Information Board staff, has left Ottawa to become press attaché at the Canadian legation in Paris.

This year's Nobel prize for medicine has been awarded to Sir Alexander Fleming, discoverer of penicillin, the Berlin radio said.

Among 135 civilians in Britain known to have been blinded by enemy action, 32 lost their sight during flying-bomb attacks.

Sir Frank Alexander, 63, chairman of the Baltic Exchange, was chosen lord mayor of London in succession to Sir Frank Newson Smith.

To avoid colliding with the car of the Hon. M. Bowes-Lyon, brother of the Queen, a R.A.S.C. motorcycle ran into a brick wall and broke his ankle.

The B.C. government has bought a site near Duncan for a third provincial government forest nursery where 6,000,000 trees are to be produced annually for reforestation.

More fish is in prospect for Britain this winter. Many trawlers which have been in the Navy for five years have been released to join the fishing fleet.

A. C. Brault, Montreal manager for National Selective Service, said that there will not be a drastic reduction in employment during the post-war years as there was after other wars.

Award Was Changed

King George Gives Coldstream Guards
Officer The Victoria Cross

When the King was in Italy recently he pinned the Distinguished Conduct Medal on the uniform of Company Sergeant-Major Harold Wright of the Coldstream Guards. Later, the King had an opportunity of looking over the report about the men he had decorated, and he said to General Sir Harold Alexander: "If ever a man deserved the V.C., it is this man to whom I have just given the D.C.M." The Distinguished Conduct Medal is the highest award for bravery that a commander in the field can give. In the Victoria Cross, a recommendation has to be forwarded to the King. Right there on the spot the King exercised his prerogative and announced that he would decorate Wright with the highest award in the British Army. Wright will return the D.C.M., and will attend an investiture at Buckingham Palace to have the V.C. pinned on his breast by His Majesty.

The margin between the Military Medal, the Distinguished Conduct Medal and the Victoria Cross is sometimes very small, and it must be a difficult problem for a commanding officer what to award. Many men have performed deeds of valor that deserved higher, or the highest recognition, and countless deeds have been performed that did not receive any decoration at all.

C.S.M. Wright certainly deserved the Victoria Cross. When all his officers were killed or wounded and he found that three machine-gun nests were holding up his company, he crept forward alone under intense small-arm and mortar fire and one after another bayoneted the crews. Then he led his men on.

It was similar at the earliest days of the last war that won the Victoria Cross for Sergeant Michael O'Leary of the Irish Guards, whose exploit became a legend overnight. —*St. Thomas Times Journal*

PAID IN ADVANCE

"How much will that cost?" asked the man who called the Tribune at Tulsa, Okla., to place a classified ad. "Exactly 60 cents," said the ad-taker. There was a moment of silence, then from the other end came a series of tickling sounds. "What are you doing?" asked the ad-taker. "Why, I'm paying for the ad, of course," said the caller. "I'm putting 60 cents of nickels right here in the telephone."

FINE FOR CHILDREN

The last few months of the German occupation of Belgium provided children with new playgrounds—the fine concrete highways over which German transport moved. Belgian kiddies used them for roller skating.

Reciprocal Rights

Empowered To Hold Own Military Tribunals In U.S.

Canada and the United Kingdom are empowered to hold their own military tribunals in cases affecting their armed forces in the United States, according to a presidential order published in the Federal Gazette at Washington.

The United States has been given similar powers to hold its own forces in Canada and the United Kingdom and the order giving these countries reciprocal rights here has been in effect for some time but was formally published only recently.

Making New Plans

Allied Governments Hear Nazis Seeking Flying Fields Outside Germany

News has reached Allied Governments that the Nazis are already planning to defeat restrictions on post-war German air development by establishing airlines in countries other than Germany.

Information has been passed on that secret inquiries have been made in two neutral countries by German interests seeking investment in flying grounds and inquiring into the possibility of financing new airports which would form the basis of a new Luftwaffe. —*London Daily Sketch*

British Lancasters

Carrying Capacity About Double Of Any Other Machine

British Lancaster bombers, powered by four Rolls Royce Merlin engines, whose total carrying capacity is almost double that of any other machine in the world, are already flying freight across the Atlantic. Easily convertible to carry from 30 to 50 passengers, their long range and high speed will make them civil airliners with performance second to none immediately the war is ended. —*British Information*.

MUST GIVE UP PLATINUM

Compulsory sale of all family platinum has been ordered by Japan's munitions ministry to offset the shortage of this "important and indispensable war material." Tokyo radio reported in a broadcast.

Energy From The Sun

Converter Capable Of Melting Iron Invented In Russia

A new type of solar energy converter capable of melting iron has been developed by the refugee Spanish scientist Federico Molero, who is carrying on experimental work in Taskent, capital of Soviet Uzbekistan.

In an article published in the Moscow News, Molero describes his energy converter as a "paraboloid mirror, 33 feet in diameter," mounted on light metal framework resembling the wings of an airplane. He states that the reflector surface is made of ordinary window glass, bent into the desired shape without pre-heating.

According to Molero, his device can produce hot water "in quantities measurable by the thousands of kilo-grams hourly" or "superheated steam at a temperature of 470 degrees green centigrade," which is hot enough to melt a number of metals, including iron.

Because of the fact that the solar converter is unable to operate in cloudy weather, Molero says that his new machine will be best suited for use in branches of economy "where energy consumption coincides with production."

His machine could be used, for example, to drive steam engines to pump water for irrigation purposes. Molero suggests that his machine may thus be potentially capable of promoting cattle raising in the arid regions of Central Asia. He also thinks it could be used for refrigeration, or for conditioning the same area where need for such service is the greatest during the sunny period of the year.

THE ONLY ANSWER

Heard the other day of a father who had received word that his son, a brilliant lad, had been killed in battle. Turning to his rector he cried in desperation, "Tell me, sir, was that God when my son was killed?" "My friend," replied the rector, "God was just where He was when his own Son was killed."

Whistling swans do not whistle and screech owls do not screech.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: January.

REG'LAR FELLERS—The Height of Kindness



Trophies Of War

Men Will Not Have To Pay Duty On Souvenirs

Hundreds of Canadian airmen are planning to bring home trophies of war, which the Dominion government has decided to allow into the country duty-free.

German motorbikes, swastikas, belt buckles, luger pistols, mauser rifles, jewelled "Death Head" shoulder badges of R.S.S. regiments and tin helmets are among the trophies the men want to carry home.

Some even wonder if the phrase "trophies of war" could be stretched to include camouflaged enemy scout cars and small amphibious "ducks," left behind by the retreating enemy.

Go North

Territory In Alaska Will Gain In Population After The War

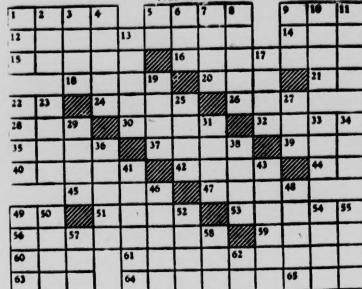
The territory of Alaska will gain 1,000,000 in population immediately after the war, Governor Ernest Gruening predicted.

"Thousands of service men who have learned of the opportunities Alaska has to offer while stationed in the north are eager to return and live there," the Alaskan executive said as he paused in a trip to Washington, D.C., for conferences on the territory's post-war program.

The average boy changes his vocation four times before the age of 20, according to an educational expert.

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11 To diminish
12 To unfasten
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20 Deer
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LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY--

Maggie Rebels

By EDITH LOVELL

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

"Zeke!" said Maggie. "Zeke! I'll do it!"

"Uh-huh," Zeke mumbled into the seed catalogue.

"There's my turkey money; if that isn't enough, I'll use some of the egg money."

"Uh-huh, said Zeke. He eyed the half-page illustration of a tomato, more rosy and luscious than anything ever before brought to maturity with painter's ink.

"I never realized it was so bad, I guess. The magazines are sure wonderful these days."

"Sure are," agreed Zeke absently. "Why, this picture might have been taken in this very room! It almost makes me blush. I guess I've always been too busy to keep up on good taste."

"Yeah," said Zeke.

"Let's see, I'd better do some measuring first. Then we can go to town and get some estimates." Maggie stared out the window.

The old clock ticked industriously in the silence. At winter afternoons, Zeke had shown the seed catalogue and looked at Maggie. "There's a girl in here," he said. "Maybe I could get it all done by spring vacation when Joyce and Donald come home. Five weeks. Oh, yes, that ought to be time enough."

"Get what done?" asked Zeke. The seed catalogue slid to the floor unnoticed. It wasn't so much the nonsense she was babbling as the look on her face. Like the simple souls at revival meetings on the street corners in town Saturday nights.

"Painting and papering, new drapes, pictures everywhere!" said Maggie, still in her trance.

"It's kinda early for housecleaning," Zeke ventured cautiously. It couldn't be cabin fever could it? They hadn't been to town, and to the movies, and to church. And they had plenty of magazines too, although Maggie's eyes weren't so good as they used to be. But with all the children gone . . .

Maggie laughed, and her laughter had a richness in it. She usually chuckled, or merely crinkled her eyes at a joke. She'd always been too

busy cooking or washing or mending to laugh much.

"Don't look so scared," she said. "I'm not cuckoo, even if I do sound like it. I'm going to do over the living room. Redecorate it. Like the illustration in this magazine. See, this picture is 'before' and this one 'after'. Why, our house must look antique!"

"Going in for some style, huh?" Zeke was relieved and pleased. A new interest, that's what Maggie needed, to give her some of the old sparkle.

"See, this room is a dead-ringer for our living room," said Maggie.

"The light woodwork, flowered wallpaper and plain carpet clean to the walls. This old middle-rolling chair. The crotonne covers on the sofa and chairs. These old-fashioned tie-back curtains. And that corner cupboard!"

"Uh-huh," said Zeke, peering at the magazine. "I always kinda liked this room, myself, but fix it any way you want to."

Maggie spent money gleefully. She bought nice sensible brown paint for the woodwork and the floor, where the new rug wouldn't reach. The rug was green with a lot of rust-colored gewgaws. The new drapes were stiff and green. With them came fancy panel curtains.

"The sofa and chairs are all right," said Maggie. "We'll just take off the crotonne covers and put on some fancy dollys. The upholstery is good, as new."

"Kinda dark," mumbled Zeke. "But rich," said Maggie with authority. "I'm glad I found out a little about interior decorating."

Maggie chose plain hemmed wallpaper. "Dignified, and yet colorful," she labeled it.

Zeke painted and papered, pushed furniture about and laid the rug. Maggie took down the row of oil-halftone pictures over the sofa and replaced them with a large framed bowl of fruit. The new curtains shut out the sunshine, but Maggie sang as she put on the finishing touches—the fringed scarves at jaunty angles on the piano and library table; the doilies on the chair and sofa backs.

"It sure does change things," Zeke sighed. Maggie smiled happily.

Zeke went to the station to bring the two youngest of the brood, Joyce and Donald, home for spring vacation. As they rumbled along over the thawing roads, Zeke cleared his throat.

"There's been some changes since you was home," he said by way of introduction. "Your ma has done over the living room. Copied it after a picture in a magazine. I want you to say you like it whether you do or not."

Donald's mouth dropped open, and Joyce started to say something, but Zeke went on. "The way I figure it, it ain't so much what it looks like, as what's it done. Your ma has a new permanent wave, and some new clothes. She looks pretty classy.

She's head of the Red Cross unit here, and she belongs to that Study Club in town your Aunt Helen's been trying to get her to join all these years. She feels, she says, that the home gives her a background."

"But what—" Joyce began.

"Anyways," went on Zeke. "It looks like these darned interior decorators did make up their minds about what's style and what's not, instead of going around in circles every thirty years."

"Well, what's the matter?" Donald demanded.

"It's like this," Zeke explained. "Your mother's eyesight ain't so good as it used to be. She got them before and 'after' pictures mixed up. And changed the room from good to bad!"

HAD SOME JOURNEY

On Oct. 5, at Christmas, paroled, mailed to Tpr. John McDonald of Chamecock, N.B., over seas on Nov. 1, 1943, finally found its addressee at Chamecock. The paroled went overseas followed Tpr. McDonald all around England, followed him from coast to coast in France when he was assigned to a mosquito boat, back to England where he was invalided last spring, and finally back to Canada where he has been repatriated.



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1½ cups uncooked macaroni
3 tablespoons Mazola
3 cups canned tomatoes
1 tablespoon corn syrup
1½ teaspoons salt
½ teaspoon pepper
¾ lb sausage meat
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Cook macaroni in 3 quarts boiling water to which has been added 3 cups Mazola, dried bread crumbs, onion in Mazola until golden brown; add tomatoes, corn syrup, salt and pepper; simmer 15 minutes. Shape sausages into six fat cans; place half the macaroni in 1½ qt. casserole oiled with Mazola; cover with sausage patties; add remaining macaroni. Pour remaining mixture; sprinkle with soft bread crumbs. Bake in moderate oven. Serves six.

Graduate Scholarships

Training Research Personnel Is Necessary For Canada

Establishment of a large number of graduate scholarships to develop highly-trained research personnel is imperative if Canada is to be enabled to hold her place in the post-war world.

It is not fair nor is it efficient that the men doing important basic scientific work should have to go in-hand to individuals or organizations seeking funds with which to obtain apparatus and facilities.

There is need of a generous attitude by industry. Royal Bank Letter.

Short-Wave Radio

Canada's Link With Europe Will Be Ready By First Of January

Canada's first short-wave radio link with Europe is almost forged, and by Jan. 1, 1944, should be in the air 24 hours a day. Dr. Auguste Frigon, general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, announced.

Dr. Frigon said the new station, now under construction at St. John's, N.B., will ultimately be the most efficient short-wave transmitter in North America. The first beam will go on the air on an experimental basis in December.

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LOCALS

The Knox Junior Ladies Aid will hold their next meeting on Thursday, November 23rd, at the home of Mrs. Woods.

Albert Miller of Olds is visiting town with his sister, Mrs. Ed. Wigging, Albert recently had an accident when he was run over by a tractor, breaking his leg, and he will be laid up for some time before his proper healing.

Mrs. J.W. English of Calgary spent the week end at the D.M. Souter home.

Among the Air Gunners who graduated recently from No. 2 Manning and Gramby School, Mount Dell, as corporals, was A. Waddington, R.C.A.F. of Didsbury, according to the Public Relations Officer at Montreal.

Mrs. Machi Lefebvre, of Calgary, where she will make her home from now on, with her son, Alphonse.

The Red Cross Room has been moved to the room recently occupied by Dr. Seymour, M.D., at 4115 10th Street.

The Ladies of the Red Cross Tea Committee are having a tea and cake sale Saturday, November 18th, at the basement of the United Church. It has been some time since we have had a sale so let us make up for those days and do our best.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McLean, of High River, spent the week end in town with their son, Mr. Andrew McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Hinckley of Calgary visited last week end in town with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Hinckley.

The Imperial Oil Goldens are holding a meet at Airdrie early in December. Watch for date next week.

Miss Hazel Hamilton of the Royal Canadian Air Force spent the long week end in Wainwright, visiting Friends.

Miss Officer Ram Bowering spent a couple of days in town en route to her home at Blairmore.

Mrs. Irene Kelly is visiting in town and district.

Miss Evelyn Beaumont of Calgary spent the week end in town with her father, Frank Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. E.H. and Mrs. Hiram Thompson, their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, came to attend the Lions Picnic, W.A. meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Peters Jr.

During, 1943, Mr. and Mrs. Snyder of Waterloo were married and on Sunday evening with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson.

Miss Lorraine McDonald of Rimbey visited the home of her mother, Miss Alice McDonald, over the holidays.

John, Mrs. and Miss Elyne spent the week end in town with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kellie.

Mr. A. A. Smith, secretary treasurer of the Municipal District of Mountain View, attended the Municipal convention in Calgary, last week.

Harvey Blaikie returned Saturday from Goderich, Ontario, to get the household out of his old residence. Mrs. Blaikie, along with her son, John, and daughter, Shirley, will stay with her son, John, in the Mormon Christian home.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Peterson, Sherburn, and Mrs. Rose, of Brandon, Manitoba, visited P.E.I. and the Maritimes for a couple of days. Mr. Peterson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gilmore and Mrs. A. Baptiste of Didsbury, also with Mr. and Mrs. W. McDonald of Brandon.

Sam Krueger, proprietor of the Redhead Hotel, was in Calgary the first three days of this week where he attended the annual convention of the Hotel Association.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Weber returned last Thursday from a two weeks' visit to Seattle and Vancouver. Mrs. Weber reports rainy weather nearly all the time they were at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Kitchen Blain left Sunday for their home in Calgary after spending the holiday in town and district.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shantz spent the week end visiting relatives in High River and Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pollock spent Tuesday in Calgary.

Mrs. Baby Tugge, accompanied by her friend, Edith Allard, of Calgary, spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. Roy McLean, Optometrist of Calgary was a business visitor last Monday. Mr. McLean is making another trip to the Boundary on Monday morning, December 12th.

"Thank You Lucky Star," with Eddie Cawthron, South of the Bow River, was a success. The show was presented by the Didsbury and Okotoks Masonic Lodges, Friday and Saturday, November 16, 17 & 18. On Monday, November 19th and Tuesday, November 20th, 1944, the feature will be "Dixie Little Review," and the following night, "The Dixie Queen."

A large crowd gathered at a joint picnic on Monday, Oct. 29th, to honour Mr. and Mrs. John and Anna Sander, and the best of luck in their new home at the coast. Guests were pleased, and Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson were presented with an electric typewriter by Mr. J.W. McLean and the new addition and enjoyed the company of relatives and friends in the daisies.

WATERWORKS FOR GLD8

A petition is being signed by residents of the Town of Olds asking the Town Council to install a water and sewerage system within the town as soon as possible after the war is over, when labor and money will be available at cheaper rates.

The Town of Olds should have had a water and sewerage system a long time ago, and now that the town has experienced a steady growth in population it is a necessity from a health point of view.

A few citizens think this will cost a few million dollars, but when you figure up all the advantages it gives you then the cost is small in comparison. The present cost to the rate payers of the Town of Olds for sewage disposal is about 50¢. An improved system would cost 10¢ per year, or less than the present cost of the present system.

WE MUST MEET A DEADLINE

Our advertisers and readers have been very busy the past two weeks in complying with our request that they have their copy in by Tuesday noon, Oct. 29th. This gives us time to get the material ready to make up our forms, and to lay the paper off the press Wednesday night, in order to catch the mail going west.

IN MEMORIAM

WIGLEY — In loving memory of our dear mother, Elizabeth Wigley, who passed away November 20, 1944.

"Living and End in all her ways, Open and End to the end of her days." — In the spirit of the poem Wednesday night, in order to catch the mail going west.

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